

REMARKS

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 C. F. R. 1.121 dated March 12, 2010. The Notice indicated the following:

- A. A Complete listing of the claims is not present; and
- B. Other: Claims 19, 21, 23-26 status identifiers are improper.

1. Complete Listing of the Claims.

Applicant submits herewith a further copy of the claims as amended, which includes the status of claims 1-14, which were previously cancelled.

2. Status Identifiers Are Proper

The status identifiers for claims 19, 21 and 23-26 are proper since these claims have not been amended since the Preliminary Amendment of January 17, 2006. The correct status is therefore "Previously Presented".

The amendment filed September 4, 2009 mistakenly dropped the claim-dependency numbers from claims 19, 21 and 23-26. Applicants then filed a "corrected" amendment on January 14, 2010 in which claims 19, 21 and 23-26 properly included the claim-dependency numbers. However, these claims remained unchanged from the previous version filed with the Preliminary Amendment of January 17, 2006.

Thus, the status identifiers of "Previously Presented" remain correct.

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123.

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